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10 For: REDUCED-POWER GPS-BASED
SYSTEM FOR TRACKING MULTIPLE
OBJECTS FROM A CENTRAL LOCATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

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Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

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Page 16, line 12, after "Figure" delete the period (".")

Page 18, line 29, after "and" insert -- T_i^C --.

Page 18, line 30, after " T_i^B " insert such that $\mu_i = \beta_i / T_i^B$.

Page 30, line 35, after "with" insert--a signal event such as--.

IN THE CLAIMS

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Please cancel claims 1, 12, 13 and 15.

Claim 2, line 1 change "1" to --3--.

3.(amended) A method for identifying location of an object to be tracked,
comprising:

measuring data related to propagation time differences between signals
transmitted from a plurality of GPS satellites and received at said object to be tracked, said data